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To The Commissioner For Patents:

Please find below and attached Applicants' Responsive Amendment to the First
Office Action herein indicated as mailed April 20, 2005.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

The first and only Office Action in this matter was indicated as mailed April 20, 2005. There is transmitted to the Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) herewith a request for extension of time for response within the second month together with Applicants' Attorney's check for the appropriate fee therefore.

Applicants have duly considered the last Office Action and upon such review believes that there is patentable subject matter herein and requests reconsideration and further examination in view of this Amendment pursuant to 37 CFR 1.111, MPEP 2266.